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I am disappointed in the Proposed Final Judgment for the following reasons.

Pursuit of those who willingly and knowingly violated Federal Law will certainly avoid punishment and most likely retain their respective positions in Microsoft. Worse yet they may even be rewarded.

In general I am not in favor of government intervention in a free market economy. But in the case of MS gone awry, I believe that corrective action in the form of a split should be considered. The operating system as one company and the applications yet another would be a good place to start.

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